

## THE DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION DID GOOD WORK

### And Selected a Ticket of Winners.

### Big Four are Chosen

### Who Will Represent Ohio in the National Convention.

### The Convention Was a Notable One, and Will Have Great Bearing on the Coming State and National Campaign.

### The Ticket Nominated is a Very Strong One, and One Which Can be Elected in November Over the Ticket Which Mark Hanna Forced on the Republicans at their Convention.

Columbus, O., June 1.—After a day's continuous session the Ohio state Democratic convention adjourned sine die at 1:20 p. m. The meeting was characterized by scenes of enthusiasm that bordered on disorder at times, and by sharp contests for place. A full state ticket was nominated, delegates and alternates-at-large chosen, and men named for electors-at-large. Some stirring speeches were also a feature of the convention.

The following is the ticket:

Delegates-at-Large—  
JAMES KILBOURNE, of Franklin.  
HARRISON L. GRIFFIN, of Jackson.  
A. W. PATRICK, of Tipton.  
W. S. THOMAS, of Clark.

Alternates-at-Large—  
M. O. BURNS, of Butler.  
C. L. BUNGARTEN, of Burke.  
JOHN W. SWENNEY, of Wayne.  
M. R. CLARK, of Highland.

For Electors-at-Large—  
ISAAC R. SHERWOOD, of Lucas.  
A. J. WARNER, of Washington.

For Secretary of State—  
HARRY B. McADDEN, of Jefferson.

For Supreme Judge—  
ALLEN W. SMALLEY, of Wyandot.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner—  
BALLARD B. YATES, of Pickaway.

For School Commissioner—  
J. D. SIMPKINS, of Anselmo.

For Member Board Public Works—  
PETER Y. BROWN, of Ross.

#### FIRST BALLOT

Resulted in the Choice of Three of the Delegates at Large.

After the adoption of the platform which was published in the Times-Democrat yesterday, the convention proceeded to nominate candidates for delegates at large to the Kansas City convention. W. S. Thomas, of Clark county, was presented by Thomas Johnson, of Springfield. Frank M. Marriot, of Delaware, was presented by Senator W. E. Finck, of Perry county. George W. Hull, of Toledo, was presented by ex-speaker A. D. Marsh, of Allen. Horace L. Chapman, of Jackson county, was presented by James Peoples, of Montgomery county. Col. Kilbourne, of Columbus, was presented by Benton W. Childers, of Franklin county. General Finley, of Bucyrus, was presented by Congressman Norton. W. A. Patrick, of Canton, was presented by James Rice, of Canton. S. A. Russell, was presented by Frank Gentsch. Frank Harper, of Mt. Vernon, was presented by L. R. Haupt. Charles Haskell, was presented by J. W. Smith, of Ottawa.

There being no further nominations, the convention proceeded to ballot. The first ballot resulted as follows:

Kilbourne, 678½; Patrick, 451; Thomas, 414½; Chapman, 336; Hull, 330; Haskell, 252½; Finley, 201½; Marriot, 80; Harper, 79; Russell, 17.

Kilbourne, Patrick and Thomas were declared three of the Big Four, each having received more than 367, which was a majority of the delegates.

The convention thereupon proceeded to select the fourth delegate at large. The name of Mr. Harper was withdrawn and the second ballot was then taken. The result was: Chapman 340 and Hull 306, with the other candidates dwindling down much lower. No nomination having been made on this ballot the convention again took a vote, with the contest sifted down to Chapman and Hull. Chapman was nominated on the third ballot, the vote

#### MISAKES MADE

Sy Clerks Prove That Hull Was Elected a Delegate.

Confusion was made last night in connection with the records of the vote for the delegates at large. It shows that unless the figures are at fault, Hon. George W. Hull, of Lucas, was in reality elected one of the Big Four on the first ballot, whereas it was decided in the convention that he had not received sufficient votes, and another ballot being taken he was defeated by Hon. Horace L. Chapman.

The discovery was made by Chairman Huntington after the convention adjourned. The records show that on the first ballot Hull received 340½ votes, 360 being necessary for election. Before the count was complete, however, there were sufficient changes, according to the records, to elect Hull. Franklin County made a change in its vote that added 12 to that of Hull. Montgomery made a change that gave the Lucas candidate 6½ additional.

Preble changed so as to give him six more. This made a total addition of 24½ to Hull's original vote, placing it in the end at 373½, or more than enough to elect.

Investigation discloses that the clerk of the convention inadvertently deducted instead of adding to Hull's vote the total of the additions which the changes should have given him, and that the announcement of his defeat was the result. The friends of Mr. Hull feel that the Democrats throughout the state should know that in reality he was victorious and that he is deprived of the honor conferred upon him through a deplorable mistake for which no one can be blamed with intentional wrong or injustice. Indeed, none more than the convention clerks themselves regret the error. Mr. Hull might yet claim the election, but he stated last night that he has no thought of doing so and that he joins heartily in the gratification of his Democratic brethren at the result of the convention.

Each of the successful contestants addressed the delegates, thanking them for the honor bestowed, etc. Mr. Patrick took advantage of the occasion to drift into the Boer war, and he gave the British lion a vigorous drubbing, to the evident delight of the vast assemblage, which cheered his sentiments to the echo.

#### Splintered Contest.

For alternates-at-large to the Kansas City convention the names of M. O. Burns of Hamilton, E. L. Bungarten of Cincinnati, C. L. Brumbach of Greenville, Timothy Armsburg of Defiance, M. R. Denner of Wilmington, M. B. Clyburn of Hillsboro, Graham Denwall of Columbus, W. L. Roth of Marion, John McSweeney of Wooster and Robert Wright of Cleveland were presented, and the rules were amended at 5 p. m. so that the four highest should be declared elected. Burns, Brumbach, McSweeney and Clyburn were elected on the following ballot: Burns, 427; Bungarten, 308; Brumbach, 428; Armsburg, 191; Denner, 86; Clyburn, 379; Denwall, 104; Roth, 207; McSweeney, 496.

For electors-at-large General Isaac R. Sherwood of Toledo and General A.

J. Warner of Marietta were nominated without opposition.

The names of Dr. R. H. Reemelin of Cincinnati and Harry H. McFadden of the Steubenville Gazette were presented for secretary of state, but before the call of the counties was completed Reemelin's name was withdrawn and McFadden was nominated by acclamation.

The names of Simeon W. Winn of Zanesville and Allen W. Smalley of Upper Sandusky were presented for supreme judge. Before the result of the balloting was announced Winn's name was withdrawn and Judge Smalley was nominated by acclamation.

For dairy and food commissioner the names of W. N. Cowden of Guernsey, Ballard B. Yates of Pickaway, Dr. Thomas M. Garrett of Henry, Dr. Thomas T. Shields of Union and Newton L. Bunnell of Warren were presented, and then the convention was precipitated into such disorder that the chairman sent for a detachment of police. When the police entered they fled down the aisle with the chairman yelling orders to "club them down." The police were ordered to take some out, but they restored order without making arrests. Their services were retained for the rest of the evening. The first ballot resulted: Yates, 340; Cowden, 113; Bunnell, 100; Shields, 89; Garrett, 61. On the second ballot Yates was nominated.

Professor J. D. Simpkins of St. Mary's was nominated for state school commissioner without opposition, and also Peter Y. Brown of Ross for member of the board of public works.

At 7:30 p. m. the convention adjourned sine die.

#### MOUNT DECLINES

To Honor Beckham's Requisition For Former Governor Taylor.

Indianapolis, June 1.—Governor Mount issued a statement declining to honor a requisition from Governor Beckham of Kentucky for the return to that state of W. S. Taylor, who is under indictment for complicity in an alleged plot which resulted in the assassination of Governor Goebel. Colonel Tom Campbell, Justus Goebel, brother of the murdered man, and Sheriff Suter of Franklin county, Ky., arrived here with the requisition. The governor in his statement says he can not persuade himself that Taylor would be accorded at this time a fair and impartial trial, and adds that until these already in prison have been accorded a fair trial he would not honor a requisition.

#### Kentucky Democrats.

Louisville, June 1.—The Kentucky Democratic state convention met at 2 p. m. in Music hall. It will select delegates from the state-at-large to the Democratic national convention in Kansas City and two presidential electors from the state-at-large. Election of district delegates to the national convention and of the district electors will also be held by the various district delegations, and the state central committee will be reorganized. It is regarded as almost certain that Senator-elect Joe C. S. Blackburn, ex-Governor James B. McCreary and Louis McQuown of Warren will be three of the four delegates to the national convention.

#### Roosevelt Declares Himself.

Rochester, N. Y., June 1.—"I stand just where I did two months ago. I am not a candidate for vice president, and I will not accept if nominated at Philadelphia next week." These words were spoken by Governor Roosevelt upon his return to this city from California, where he had been to make an address in connection with the unveiling of a soldiers' monument. The sentences were uttered in such an emphatic manner as to leave no room for doubt that the speaker meant just what he said. The governor added that he would go to Philadelphia Saturday and make his position known to all leaders.

#### Small Sum Realized.

Washington, June 1.—The Post publishes an article stating that the Republican congressional campaign committee has been endeavoring to collect as contributions a part of the extra month's salary voted to the employees of congress just before adjournment. The employees were informed that any contribution would be voluntary, and many of them said no heed to the communication received, while others made only a small contribution so that the amount collected will not exceed \$1,200 or \$1,500 instead of \$10,000 or more, as had been expected.

#### Fears of Portugal.

Lisbon, June 1.—The Portuguese government is again reported fearing that the Boers will enter Delagoa bay territory when forced to retreat from Lydenburg. The Portuguese have only 1,500 troops in east Africa and would be powerless to prevent an invasion.

#### To Resume Work.

Chicago, June 1.—As a result of the conference between building contractors and employes, predictions are made of the resumption of work in the building line within 10 days. Nothing definite, however, has yet been accomplished.

### NOT

### Much of a Victory for Roberts.

### Botha's Forces

### Retired Without Any Serious Loss Men.

### The British Did Not Even Capture Any Guns or Prisoners.

### Methuens' Claim of a Big Victory Proves to be a Wind Triumph, as all of DeWet's Men Escaped Without Injury.

London, June 1.—Lord Roberts' engagement with General Botha terminated as was expected, by the Boer commander in chief retiring eastward from his positions. Beyond driving Botha further from the capital little seems to have been accomplished, as Lord Roberts does not mention the infliction of loss. Perhaps the most important feature revealed by today's official despatches is the announcement that the army of Natal is at least in touch with Lord Roberts' troops.

#### BRITISH LINES INTACT.

Methuens' Men Succeeded in Restoring the Communications.

London, June 1.—The dispatch from Lord Roberts clearing up the situation at Pretoria and along the communications stands June. Military observers, noting that no mention is made of prisoners, assume that General DeWet got away with his forces practically intact.

General Buller entered Volksrust Wednesday, passed through Charleston and encamped near Laings Nek. The tunnel was not much damaged. Both ends were blown up, but the engineers think that repairs can be effected in about four days. The advance troops of General Buller saw the Boer rear guard four miles distant. It was estimated that 8,600 Boers were withdrawing. The townspeople at Ermelo counted 15 guns.

President Kruger, according to a dispatch from Lorenzo Marques, keeps a locomotive with steam up attached to the car in which he concentrates the executive officers of the government, and he intends to leave Machadodorp soon and to establish the Transvaal capital at Nel Spruit, in the mountains, a fine defensive region. The state printing press is operating at Machadodorp, producing leaflets containing war news for distribution among the Boers.

Mr. Schreiner, the Cape premier, and his colleagues, have resigned. Sir Alfred Milner accepting their resignations. The London papers only recently abused Mr. Schreiner for not making war preparations. Now they are complimenting his refusal to follow the majority of the Afrikaner bond in opposition to the British military policy.

General Buller's casualties on June 10 have been issued by the war office. They were 26 killed, 126 wounded and two missing.

#### Lines Cleared.

London, June 1.—Lord Roberts reports as follows from Pretoria: "On hearing that the Free Staters had taken advantage of our crossing the Vaal to interrupt our line of communication, I sent Kitchener to Vredfort with orders to push through and communicate with Methuen. I also dispatched a special messenger to Methuen instructing him to push on at all speed to the main line of railway. These two officers met at Vredfort road station in the evening of June 10. They marched to Rhenoster river, where Methuen gained a complete victory over DeWet and took possession of his camp and scattered his troops in all directions."

#### Granted Eight Hours.

Butte, Mon., June 1.—Miners' union day was celebrated here. During the exercises in the opera house following the procession, letters were read from Senator W. A. Clark and F. August Heinze, the latter the head of the Montana Ore Purchasing company, granting the miners in their employ their request for an eight-hour working day.

#### SEVEN MEN KILLED.

Work Train Jumps the Track and Plunges Down an Embankment.

Williamsport, Pa., June 1.—Seven men were killed and another fatally injured on a logging railroad at Cammalt, about three miles from here. A train jumped the track in some unaccounted manner and plunged down a 200 feet embankment. Both fireman and engineer were instantly killed, as also were four Italian laborers. The cars and engine were literally smashed to kindling. The names of the killed are: Engineer McGilvary, Fireman English, Justice of the Peace T. F. Schuyler, Frank Carlson, Jello Damm, James Roe and — Memnon.

As to Confederate Flags.

Davenport, Ia., June 1.—One of the features of the annual encampment of the Grand Army of Iowa was the address by National Commander A. D. Shaw, in which he declared himself on the question of the return of captured Confederate battle flags. Commander Shaw said the majority of soldiers believed the time was not ripe for such action; that the banner that was furled at Appomattox represented a dead past, and should not be brought to view again in this generation.

A Prospective Bishop.

Louisville, June 1.—It is reported that Mr. Thomas F. Gammon, pastor of St. Patrick's Catholic church, will be raised to the position of auxiliary bishop in this diocese as assistant to Bishop McCloskey. Mr. Gammon has been absent from the city for three weeks, and the report has become current that he has departed for Rome, where he will be formally made auxiliary bishop.

Boiler Blow Out.

St. Mary's, O., June 1.—A terrible accident occurred at the St. Mary's spoke works, which resulted in the death of two employees and the injury of another. C. A. Gilbert and Wesley Morse were at work in the steaming room of the spoke department, when the head of the boiler was blown out, killing both. Jacob McCoy was struck by a flying spoke and painfully injured.

Dewey Returns.

Washington, June 1.—Admiral Dewey and party have returned to Washington. The trip home from Manila was without special incident. Mr. Dewey has practically recovered from a slight attack of tonsillitis from which he suffered while in the west.

Overseer Killed.

Hopkinsville, Ky., June 1.—In a wheat field Grannison Pettus, colored, tramp farmhand, shot and killed Stephen Stewart, overseer of James S. Rufford's farm, because the latter reproved him for shirking work. Pettus escaped.

Empress Backs Down.

Washington, June 1.—Definite official information was received here from the foreign office of one of the most important continental powers stating that the Chinese foreign office had notified the minister of that power at Peking that the dowager empress would not object to the presence of foreign troops in China's territory. This change of front came as a distinct surprise to officials and diplomats. The empress dowager's acquiescence in the plans of the powers is felt to remove a threatened complication, and at the same time to give evidence that the empress dowager is no longer yielding to the anti-foreign clamor.

Charge Is Bloodstained.

Berlin, June 1.—The German foreign office has had no telegraphic communication with Peking during the last 26 hours, and it has no important news regarding the Chinese situation. It is not known whether the railroad has been repaired. The statement made by certain Paris newspapers that Germany has made common cause with the Boers is characterized by the foreign office as "bloodstained" (idiote), since Germany is the one power which has all along been urging action against them.

Ohio Foresters.

Cincinnati, June 1.—The state convention of the Catholic Foresters of Ohio closed after electing the following officers: State chief ranger, Charles A. Heilker, Cincinnati; vice chief ranger, James Madigan, Cleveland; state secretary, J. C. Cummings, Columbus; state treasurer, J. P. Weekes, Dayton; state trustees, C. Lerman, Sandusky; J. Herbert, Cleveland; J. B. Lucas, Cincinnati; Edward J. Ruettly, Columbus. The next convention will be at Canton, O.

To Select Delegates.

St. Louis, June 1.—The Democratic state convention for the selection of four delegates-at-large to the national convention and 30 district delegates is being held in Jefferson City. Former Governor William J. Stone and Colonel William H. Phelps are candidates for delegate-at-large. These gentlemen are political rivals, and their struggle for first honors will probably be spirited.

The Weather.

For Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and West Virginia—Fair and warmer conditions are indicated for Friday.

### ALL

### Foreigners are in Danger.

### Grave Threats

### Are Made by the Hordes Boxers.

### City of Tien Tsin Will be Burned by Them To-night.

### If They Keep Their Words—All Foreign Powers Send Troops to Peking—Communication Has Been Cut by Them.

London, June 1.—A special despatch from Shanghai says that the positions of the legations at Peking are most critical. 30,000 Chinese troops are drawn up outside the gates of the city to oppose the relief force and guns are trained on the American, British, and Russian legations. The American, Russian and British Ministers have sent couriers to Tien Tsin, asking for 2,000 troops of each nationality. The U. S. gunboats Yorktown and Castina left yesterday for Tong Ku. No foreign warships are now here.

#### GREAT DANGER

Threatened the Americans in Tan Tse Valley.

Washington, June 1.—John Ford, secretary American Asiatic association today received the following telegram from Shanghai branch association. Shanghai—Great danger threatens the American in Tang Tse valley, advise immediately gunboat protection.

#### MISSION BUILDING DESTROYED.

But the Missionaries are Safe—Boxers Destructive Work.

Shanghai, June 1.—A despatch from Chung King says a riot has taken place at Yun-Na-Fu. The buildings of the China inland mission were partly destroyed and those of the Roman Catholic and Bible Christian mission utterly destroyed. All missions are safe.

#### TO OPPOSE THE TROOP.

Boxers Entrenching Outside the Capital of China.

London, June 1.—The Chinese are entrenching outside of Peking to oppose the advance of the international column. A despatch from Tien Tsin dated Tuesday, June 13, says: "I learn that the Chinese have guns trained on the American mission and the British legations. Two thousand Russian cavalry and infantry, with artillery, have landed at Taku."

The Shanghai correspondents report that United States Minister Conger, by courier, asks for 2,000 United States troops. The question of provisioning the relief force is already difficult, and it is predicted at Shanghai that it will become acute.

The leading members of the reform party, representing 15 out of 18 provinces, are at Shanghai. A despatch to The Daily Mail dated June 13 says they are sending a petition to the United States, Great Britain and Japan, praying those powers to take joint action, against any attempt on the part of other powers to partition the empire, and they implore the powers thus addressed to rescue the emperor.

#### To Send More Marines.

Washington, June 1.—The navy department already had taken steps to send more marines to Manila before the appeal of Rear Admiral Remy came. The formal announcement took the shape of this bulletin: "Measures are being taken at the navy department to send a battalion of marines to the Philippines. These men are wanted for service at certain naval stations in the Philippines and to replace about 80 marines who have been sent into Chinese waters." A marine battalion is gathered up at short notice from the marines now at the naval academy and the New York, League Island and Washington navy yards, as it is expected that they will be on their way to Manila by August 1 at the latest.

### TOO MANY

### Federal Office Holders in the Mix-up.

Philadelphia, June 1.—The Republican national committee met here and immediately began the investigation of contest cases preparatory to the formation of the temporary roll for the national convention. The session was devoted to hearing the recital of testimony and to arguments in the contest from the state of Alabama. There were seven contests from that state, including those over the representation from the state-at-large, and those from the Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth and Ninth districts.

So palpable did it become that the Federal patronage was the principal object in view that the committee was not long in reaching a decision to practically exclude all the contesting delegates from the temporary organization of the convention except those from the Ninth district.

Committeeman Payne introduced a resolution requesting the president to direct the proper officers to investigate the acts of certain Federal officeholders in Alabama. In presenting the resolution Mr. Payne said that he introduced it because of the evident pernicious activity of the officeholders in the campaign, and he believed it would be a very serious mistake for the committee to fail to ask that official recognition be taken of this infraction of the laws of the country.

Senator Hanna was asked, after his arrival, whether it was true that the president had a candidate for the vice presidency. "There is no truth in that report," he said, "none whatever. The president will not interfere. He has no candidate. I have no candidate. My only desire is to get the best man."

"You are quoted as being opposed to Mr. Woodruff?"

"I have said, when asked whether Mr. Woodruff was a candidate, that I hoped not, and I do not retract that statement. That is the way I feel. As for Mr. Bliss, he is an admirable man, but he is out of the question; he can not accept. Senator Allison? Well, I came over on the train with him, and he is absolute in his refusal. Mr. Deliver is an avowed candidate and he has a good following among his friends in the house, but I can not say more as to his prospects."

#### Bryan on the Platform.

Chicago, June 1.—While William Jennings Bryan was in Chicago he saw scores of people. He talked "business" with Senator Jones and others of the national committee. The platform to be adopted at Kansas City and the vice presidential question, especially the Towne Populist nomination angle of it, were considered at some length. Mr. Bryan favors rewriting much of the 1896 platform this year. Senator Jones, according to credible advice, advocates reaffirmation of the Chicago platform as a whole, and then a quick transition to the newer issues of imperialism and trusts.

"I say, as I have before so many times," Mr. Bryan said, when asked what he thought the platform and issues this year would or should be, "that I think the three big questions before us are money, trusts and imperialism. The money question, of course, includes the question of silver and of paper money; the question of imperialism includes militarism, and the policy of our national administration in the Philippines and its attitude on the Boer question are samples. I believe the principles adopted in the platform of 1896 should adopted as a party creed never to be departed from."

"The conditions ahead and the plan of campaign? Why, conditions are much more favorable than they were at this time in 1896. The Republican party is on the defensive. It will talk prosperity, of course, but well be willing to take the votes of all the people who have not had their share of prosperity and leave them the votes of the people who have had their share. I should say our plan of campaign will be to carry every state in the Union. Can not carry all of them? I wouldn't speak so harshly of the people of any state as to say that I thought the people there intended to support the Republican party."

#### Georgia Democrats.

Atlanta, June 1.—Four hundred delegates are here from every county in the state in attendance upon the Democratic state convention, which convened in the hall of representatives at the capital at 10 a. m. The convention will nominate a full state ticket, choose delegates-at-large from the state to the Kansas City convention, and select presidential electors. There will be no contests for places on the state ticket, as the delegates to the convention are instructed by a state primary held a month ago in which there were no contests, and the incumbents will be named. The platform to be adopted will follow party lines, with an endorsement of W. J. Bryan and plank affecting local conditions.

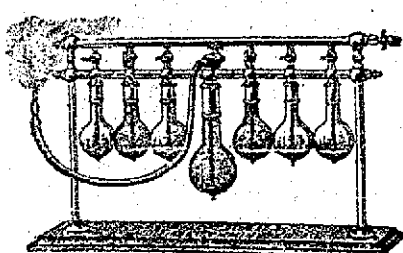






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Cycling has its ups and downs. After the downs, use **Banner Salve** if you're cut or bruised. It heals the hurt quickly. H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North Sts.

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A small contingent of Boers has realized the uselessness of merely tearing up a section of railway and throwing the rails into a stream—the usual Boer method of destroying a line. What they do now is to heat the center of a section to white heat and carry the rail by its two ends to the nearest tree or telegraph pole, round which they twist it in such a way that it is absolutely impossible to use it again for railway purposes.

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Scientists will make a determined effort this summer to penetrate the mysteries surrounding the history of the cliff dwellers of the Mesa Verde, Colo., and to shed some light, if possible, on the origin of the strange race, their customs and what was their position among ancient tribes.

Many exploring parties are already fitting out for the Mesa Verde. Professor George Dorsey of the Field Columbian Museum has announced that he will visit the famous ruins for the purpose of obtaining information about the cliff dwellers, and a party of English scientists is equipping itself for a similar tour. This party will soon leave Denver and, besides a thorough equipment for excavation, will carry many large cameras with telephoto lenses, says the Chicago Record. This will be the first time that the telephoto lens has been used for purposes of exploration. There are ruins in the Mesa Verde which are inaccessible to the photographer who carries an ordinary outfit. The only way to photograph these ruins is across a wide canyon, and the distance is too great for an ordinary lens to do effective work. The telephoto, which combines the effectiveness of the ordinary lens with the magnifying power of a telescope, will give some new and important views of these remarkable dwellings, which have hitherto defied the efforts of the photographer.

Not only will the Mesa Verde ruins be more systematically and thoroughly explored than ever before, but scientific studies will be prosecuted in Denver. The Colorado State Historical society has gathered a large collection of cliff dweller skulls, bones, pottery, implements and pictures, and Dr. A. J. Bennett, an eminent anthropologist, has been engaged to study this collection and make deductions as to the life and times of the last race. Dr. Bennett has done anthropological work in Africa, his observations on the cannibal "Fang" tribe being published by the Anthropological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland.

So far but little scientific work has been done in the endeavor to ascertain something about the cliff dwellers. Nordenskiöld, a Norwegian, has made a few careful notes and measurements, and that about ends the work. Dr. Bennett intends to find out facts by comparative measurements of skulls and bones and by studying the pottery and picture writings. What the scientific world wishes to find out is to what race and to what tribe the cliff dwellers belonged and why they chose such a peculiar situation for their homes. It is a peculiar fact that all cliff dwellers' skulls are flattened at the back, supposed to have been caused by artificial means, such as binding against a board. Dr. Bennett is inclined to think that this may have had a psychological effect on the tribe, reducing certain portions of the brain by pressure and causing naturally courageous Indians to become timid and to flee to the cliffs for protection against enemies.

At present scientists do not know whether cliff dwellers belong to the bronze age or to the stone age. Dr. Bennett is inclined to think that research will prove that the cliff dwellers were the ancestors of the Pueblo Indians and that they were connected also with the mound builders.

Thomas J. Diven, an eminent archaeologist, who has returned from an inspection of the Santa Clara cliff dwellings near Santa Fe, declares that the people who inhabited the strange dwellings were the ancestors of the Pueblo Indians and that they cannot be regarded as a lost race.

"History knows of no extinct people," says Professor Diven. "Absorption by a conqueror is not extinction. The cliff dwellers were the ancestors of the Pueblos and were driven from their strange dwellings by some great demonstration of nature that was as terrible as the eruption of Vesuvius when Pompeii was wiped out of existence. Everything proves this theory of abandonment. The Pueblos' metates, or grinding stones; their fireplaces, their idols and their pottery—all are similar in design and manufacture to those left in the cliff dwellings. The beams that now support the roofs of the adobe huts of the Pueblos are precisely similar to the charred beams thrown up by the excavation made in the Santa Clara ruins by the Smithsonian Institution officials. Their adobe dwellings are built in terraces, receding with every story, and similar in design to the terraced rock cliffs that the cliff dwellers left behind.

"In my opinion the cliff dwellers voluntarily left their residences and changed their nature and their mode of living for the same reason that Pompeii and Herculaneum were abandoned and for the same reason that Sodom, Gomorrah and other cities around the Dead sea were deserted by their terror-stricken inhabitants. Some powerful cataclysm of nature operated with irresistible force on superstitious natives. The most casual inspection will convince one that since those dwellings in the cliffs were constructed a terrible earthquake has shaken that region. In some cases the caves have been split open, while rocks as large as houses, bearing marks of human

workmanship, lie far below, where they could not have been hurled by the hands of men. In some places great rocks, falling from above, have lodged on the terraces and tipped back into the openings, forever closing all egress and ingress. Along the whole front of the cliffs lie rocks, great and small, by the thousands of tons. Volcanic cones and lava streams not far away are more evidence of the forces that caused this cataclysm.

"The greatest earthquake of modern times must have been a mere tremble in comparison with the mighty force that tumbled these great rocks about in such profusion and that created such destruction in the homes of the cliff dwellers. It must have been thought that the gods had cursed their place of abode, and the terror-stricken cliff dwellers fled to the plains. To this day the Pueblos shun the place of the accursed. None of them can ever be persuaded to enter one of those dwellings. This feeling of terror can be explained only as an inheritance from the cliff dwellers and to my mind is additional proof that the Pueblos of the present day are the survivors of this stricken tribe that once took up its abode in the cliffs."

In order to preserve the cliff dwellings for the benefit of science the women of Colorado have been engaged in the work of securing legislation. Through the efforts of the Colorado Woman's club and of Congressmen Sharfroot and Bell and Senator Henry M. Toller a bill setting aside the Mesa Verde as a national park will become a law. No excavations will be permitted unless conducted by scientists, and the destructive work of the relic hunter will be stopped. Already some of the finest cliff dwellings in the district have been ruined by unskilled excavators, and excellent pieces of pottery, implements and even mummies have been dragged off to oblivion. All this material will be saved in the future, and doubtless some definite knowledge of the cliff dwellers and their habits will soon result.

**FOR MACGAHAN'S GRAVE.**

Bulgarian Plans a Monument to an American His People Loved.

An interesting caller at the White House the other day was Professor Stoyan Krastoff Vratsalsky, a native of Bulgaria, a graduate of Harvard college and a writer and lecturer of some note. Professor Vratsalsky came to Washington from his temporary home at Cambridge, Mass., to see President McKinley and interest him in a movement to erect a monument over the grave of Janarius Aloysius MacGahan, the famous Ohio war correspondent who is known to all Bulgarians as the liberator of their nation.

Professor Vratsalsky has finished his studies in America and will start for his home in September. Before leaving he decided to go on a pilgrimage to the grave of MacGahan, at New Lexington, O. When he reached New Lexington, he was astonished to find that the grave was unmarked by even a simple headstone, and he determined forthwith that a suitable monument should be erected, says the Washington Post. He interested a number of prominent Ohio men in the work, and his visit to Washington was to secure an endorsement from the president. Mr. McKinley assured his visitor of his hearty sympathy with the movement and that he would do all in his power to further so worthy a work. The president said the career of MacGahan had always appealed to him and that he had often thought that some fitting memorial should be erected.

In a toast at the Lincoln banquet of the Ohio Republican league at Columbus in 1892, in speaking of Ohio's sons, Mr. McKinley said of MacGahan: "The Bulgarian liberator, as he is called, whose fame as a correspondent is international, whose life was a chivalrous romance, whose pen was weighted with power and might, the heroic MacGahan, was a Buckeye boy. His body, transferred from the ancient seat of eastern empire, now rests among the rugged hills of his native country of Perry, where he spent his boyhood."

It was as correspondent for a London paper that MacGahan wrote the stories of Turkish atrocities in Bulgaria which aroused the world to action and brought on the Russo-Turkish war, resulting in the independence of Bulgaria. MacGahan died and was buried in Bulgaria in 1878, but his body was later brought across the seas and found a final resting place at his boyhood's home. Professor Vratsalsky hopes that the monument will be erected jointly by MacGahan's native state of Ohio and the people of Bulgaria, and upon his return home he will immediately take up the work. An association to push the work in Ohio will probably be formed within a short time.

**Fate of the Reina Mercedes.** Preparations are being made at the Norfolk navy yard for sending the former Spanish cruiser Reina Mercedes to Portsmouth, N. H., where it was determined some time since to station her. The department's original plans for converting the raised wreck into a receiving ship having been abandoned, the bulk will be tied up at the Portsmouth yard and not even kept in ordinary condition, such expense being useless, says the Washington Post. It will be necessary to tow the Mercedes up the coast, as to place her engines in operation is a practical impossibility. She is a mournful wreck, as she lies among the collier fleet at the Norfolk navy yard, and naval men appear surprised that the further expense of towing her north should be incurred.

**Strikers and Boxers.** It is hardly possible to tell the difference between the condition in China and St. Louis, says the Dallas News, except that the Boxers have no guns.

**FREAKS NOT SATISFIED.**

Managers of Museums Troubled Over the Situation.

**CASE OF THE BRAZILIAN TWINS.**

In Utter Folly They Allowed Themselves to Be Severed and Have Sunk into Oblivion—How the Wonderful Operation Was Performed. Twin Freaks Now in Existence.

Museum managers are wrought up over the news from Rio Janeiro that the Brazilian twins, Rosalina and Maria, who were born joined together, have been so successfully operated upon that they will work out their existence separately, says the New York Telegraph. This is but another demonstration that surgery and medicine are fast becoming exact sciences and will soon make malformation and abnormal corporeal phenomena easy of correction.

In unpleasant truth freak exploiters fear a shortage in their peculiar commodities. They see the ossified man visiting Dr. Meslihy's twentieth century fat promoting emporium and returning with a neatly molded form and demanding back salary. They fear the bearded lady will become envious of her pink cheeked sisters and answer the advertisements of concoctions war-raiding the removal of superfluous hair, with the promise of a roses and cream complexion to follow.

"Only the other day," said Showman Huber recently, "I caught this agent of an artificial establishment talking to the 650 pound woman up in my balcony. That fellow shot through the door a moment later without the formality of receiving back his admission fee. I would not have minded it so much if the woman had not only listened to him, but actually wanted to try his treatment."

"Just think of that! But all freaks are the same way. They get more money for less work than any other class of people in the world except bloated bondholders, but they are not satisfied. Every mother's son and daughter of them wants to be like ordinary people. They won't be persuaded it's a grand thing to be unique. And look at the gratitude of the thing! We make them fame and money, but they want to run us out of the business."

Such wails and logic are heard up and down the Bowery and lower Third avenue in New York these days. Every freak manager says his monstrously jump wildly at any chance, however improbable, which may do away with the means by which they earn a livelihood. This is a blow at the idea constantly held that freaks enjoy the astoundingly their peculiarities create and are proud of their isolation.

The operation on the Brazilian children created astonishment among the museum men for several reasons. Their greatest was that the parents of the girls should throw away \$500 per week. Two managers said the twins could have earned that amount indefinitely, there being now a great dearth of good attractions. All considered it wonderful the surgeons were successful. It was the common opinion that to separate persons so joined by nature meant certain death to both.

Medical men in New York agree that the operation was wonderful in its daring. The children, who were 10 years old, were joined at their seventh ribs. Not only was there an osseous connection, but their lives appeared to be one. By means of X rays the surgeons saw that the liver glands were perfect in each. Early in the winter the ribs were sawed apart. The shock to the patients was so great it was deemed necessary to let them recover before completing the separation. The liver was divided the other day.

There are now three pairs of connected twins in existence. All have been shown in New York city. They are the malabates Milie and Christine, the "double headed nightingale" of South Carolina; the Tocci twins of Italian birth and only two legs and the "Bohemian twins." The most famous were the Siamese twins. They were born in 1811. After appearing all over the world as museum freaks they married sisters and settled on a plantation in North Carolina. One died of pneumonia. The other at once fell into a stupor and was dead in two hours.

**A School For Pastoral Helpers.**

At its recent general convention the Christian church, known also as Disciples and Campbellites, decided to establish a "school for pastoral helpers," says the Toledo Blade. Ladies are to be educated for pastoral work. The other day it was decided to locate the institution in Cincinnati, and its first session will open Sept. 18 with the following faculty: Rev. A. M. Harvort, Cincinnati, superintendent; Rev. George A. Miller, Covington, Ky.; Miss Alma M. Taylor, Norwood, O.; Dr. Davis S. Schaff of Lane Theological seminary, and Miss Lotta Nichols, who is now the helper of Pastor Harvort of the Central Christian church in Cincinnati. The ladies who are students will be required to devote 12 hours each week to practical pastoral work.

**Latest in Bathing Suits.**

Bathing suits in all colors and designs for women occupy a large part of the show windows in upper Broadway and the shopping district generally, says the New York correspondent of the Pittsburgh Dispatch. Most of the stores are making a specialty of ready made bathing suits this season. The popular materials, according to experts, are mohair, flannel, serge and china silk. The prices, as shown in the windows, range from \$3.50 to \$21 a suit.

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**A Smart Reclot.**

Talleyrand, the great French diplomatist, was entertaining one night. An officer arriving late, said that he had been detained by a pequin, the French soldier's nickname for a civilian. Talleyrand, affecting not to know, asked what a pequin was. "Oh," replied the officer, with a free-and-easy shoulder shrug, "we call everything a pequin that is not military." "Indeed," answered Talleyrand. Now, with us we call everything military that is not civil."

Last fall I sprained my left hip while handling some heavy boxes. The doctor I called on said at first it was a slight strain and would soon be well, but it grew worse and the doctor then said I had rheumatism. It continued to grow worse and I could hardly get around to work. I went to a drug store and the druggist recommended me to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I tried it and one-half of a 30 cent bottle cured me entirely. I now recommend it to all my friends.—F. A. Bobcock, Erie, Pa. It is for sale by all druggists.

**Khaki Made in Ireland.**

The khaki outfit of which the uniforms of the troops now serving in South Africa are made, is of Irish manufacture, being turned out by a Limerick firm. This same firm has quite lately started a large factory in Dublin, employing a great number of girls in making up khaki uniforms.

**A Monster Devil Fish**

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**Loosest Armies.**

The Argentine locust has a habit of moving forward like an army in line, and gathering together in bunches, instead of scattering like true grasshoppers.

For two years Ira W. Keller, of Mansfield, Pa., was in poor health on account of kidney trouble. He consulted several physicians and spent considerable money for medicines without obtaining relief until he tried Foley's Kidney Cure, and now writes "I desire to add my testimony that it may be the cause of adding others." H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North Streets.

An Atchison woman who was "surprised" by out of town company handed the company the key to her house and left town.

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## NEWS

## Of the City Across the River.

## The South Side

## Is Again Visited by the Hand of Death.

Mrs. Lizzie Dyson, of Solar Avenue, Passed to Rest Last Evening.

George Stombaugh, of St. John's Avenue, Tendered a Birthday Anniversary Surprise by a Party of Friends.

Mrs. Lizzie Dyson, wife of C. W. Dyson, of 1153 Solar avenue, died last evening at 7:30. She had been sick only two weeks. Her age was 26 years and 5 months. She was born in Highland county, Ohio, January 13th, 1874, and leaves two small children. Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

George Stombaugh, of St. John's avenue, was most delightfully surprised last evening, it being his seventeenth birthday. Games were the main features of the evening, after which a fine luncheon was served. Those present were Edith Franklin, Bessie Fisher, Maud Ballard, Mable Ballard, Zelpha Stoner, Augusta Hinkeldine, Edna Stanley and Edna Jenkins; Messrs. Ralph Harper, Geo. Montis, Ray Custerborder and Hiez Black.

Mrs. Alva Clark, of south West street, is on the sick list.

Mrs. Plance, mother of Frank Plance, the bicycle rider of New Bremen, is here visiting her friends for a few days.

South West street, that was recently paved, is now open to the public for travel.

John Bacombe, of south West street, who has been sick, is improving slowly.

Mrs. Welch, of south Main street, and her sister, Miss Ella Throckmorton, took their departure today for Bellefontaine to visit friends a few days.

J. S. Smith, the south side dry goods merchant, went to Delphos today on business.

Miss Armstrong, of St. Johns avenue, is improving very slowly.

The brickmasons are rapidly laying the brick for the south side Baptist church, corner Pine and Kibby streets.

Mrs. Philip Dingledine, of south Pine street, is on the sick list.

The south side band boys are making fine progress. They have rented a room in the Highland block, and by the 4th of July they will be able to give some good music.

R. E. Clark, of Bluffton, is here visiting friends for a few days.

Miss Emory H. O'Dell, of Greenlawn avenue, will soon take her departure for Chautauqua Lake to spend the summer.

C. S. Pettit has reported for duty again after a week's lay off on account of sickness.

Miss W. A. Burke, Mrs. V. G. Dickensheets and son have taken their departure on their wheels for Piqua, where they will visit friends and relatives for a few weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Mell, of east Vine street, and children have gone to West Cairo for a visit with Mrs. Mell's parents.

A. Fawcett, of south West street, has as guests Revs. A. L. Gamble, of Middlepoint; M. L. Gardner, of Conroy, and John Bell, of Dixon. These reverend gentlemen stopped off on their return home from the West Cairo conference.

The water main is being laid on south Union street.

Mr. Mell, who is yet in a very weakened condition, spent part of yesterday at the store.

Mrs. Risson, of west Kibby street, has as her guest Mrs. W. E. Osterhouse, of Dayton.

Mr. Emerick Bell, of Mansfield, has located on west Vine street, and thinks he will make Lima his future home. Mr. Bell is a horticulturist and wears a state medal.

## PLANNED

## As a Thief Might Have Done It,

And the Joke Was Carried Out With Good Effect.

The Desperate (?) Attempt at Assassination and Robbery Which Threw a Clerk Into Conspicuous Fits.

The following despatch to the Enquirer from Lima, contains the abbreviated form a mid night sensation which appeared in the Gazette yesterday morning:

"Late last night while Carl Reis, night clerk at the Lake Erie and Western freight house, was at his desk, some person hurled a coupling pin at him from the hole leading into the attic. It barely missed him, and it was found that a supposed thief had secured himself in the freight house and gone into the attic, intending to kill Reis by dropping the pin on him and then rob the office. The fellow escaped through one of the freight house doors."

There is no question about the pin being thrown, no question but that it came from a hole in the attic, but it should have been added that if Reis hadn't been frightened into closing up the freight house and hunting more congenial quarters, he would have seen some familiar forms sink out of their hiding place and hammer each other to keep from choking to death with suppressed laughter.

FATAL WRECK NEAR GALLON.

Erie engineer Ed. Roberts and brakeman Julius Bauer, both of Gallon, were killed in a head end collision last evening three miles east of that city. The west bound local, due at Gallon at six o'clock, was late, and was rounding a short curve when it collided with a gravel train. Roberts was engineer of the local and Bauer head brakeman on the gravel train.

NOTES.

The C. H. & D. railroad will run another excursion to Cincinnati Sunday.

The C. H. & D. ran an excursion from Cincinnati to Dayton yesterday for the National Cash Register Co.

Brakeman C. Murphy, of the L. E. & W., is seriously ill at his home on east Kibby street.

D. R. Stevens, of Springfield, who formerly looked after the Ohio Southern's interest, with headquarters in Lima, is a visitor in the city today.

A freight car on the south main track of the Pittsburg road got off the rails west of town this morning. No damage was caused.

The old C. H. & D. and Clover Leaf track to make a "Y" for turning engines has been taken up on account of the P. F.'s third track. A new track will be made to connect C. H. & D. and the P. F. back of the depot—Delphos Courant.

Pittsburg Engineer George Kousill, who runs one of the Pennsylvania local trains between this city and Crestline, was taken sick at the latter place last and Engineer Frank E. Moore was sent to take the vacant place in the cab. This morning when the train was nearly ready to leave Crestline, Mr. Moore sent word that he, too, was sick and Engineer W. F. Carpenter was assigned to the run.—Fort Wayne Sentinel.

## MART MULLER

On a Summer's Day, Forgot His Friend's Rig While He Was Away.

The oil men and oil well supply house frequenters had a good laugh at the expense of Mart Muller day before yesterday. Mart was in a great hurry to meet a friend at the L. E. & W. train from Sandusky and borrowed Lige Carey's horse and buggy to drive to the depot. While there he got into an argument and forgot the train and finally rode down town on a car for getting the horse and buggy which he had left in the driveway near the C. H. & D. depot. When Carey inquired for the rig Mart was very profuse in his apologies and basteded to the depot by another route and drove the horse and buggy away before Mart arrived. The latter is still looking for the rig.

## NOTICE LAWN PARTY.

At Mrs. J. W. R. by's, west Market street, this evening. Everybody come.

F—J—S—H at Townsend's.

## PRESENT

## Crowded Condition of the High School

Brings Another Question Before the Board.

The Superintendent Offers a Few Figures to Show the Necessity of Employing Some Extra Teachers.

As an argument in favor of additional teachers for the high school, at the board of education meeting Monday evening the superintendent read a report containing comparisons of last year's attendance with the probable number of pupils that will be on hand when school opens again next fall. The report contains the following data:

The total enrollment of the high school last year was 292. At the close of the term that number had fallen off to 236. Taking as a basis the number of A grammar grade certificates of promotion granted this year and allowing a certain per cent reduction for those who are not likely to pursue their studies further, there will be 160 new scholars to enter the Freshmen class this fall. Taking from the total 42 graduates this year there is left in charge of the seven teachers a total of 354, an average of 50 pupils to each instructor.

The superintendent argued that such large classes cannot be properly taken care of by the teachers, and the growth of the city has demanded relief in that department of its educational institutions. It is the purpose of the teacher's committee to recommend the employment of two additional instructors in high school work which will cut down the classes to about 30 members each.

## TICKETS VIA WASHINGTON

To Philadelphia Over Pennsylvania Lines for Republican National Convention.

Two forms of excursion tickets to Philadelphia will be sold via Pennsylvania Lines for the Republican National Convention. One form will be good over direct route, the other via Washington. Fare will be the same gates on which tickets will be sold. Ask Pennsylvania Lines ticket agent either way, and tickets via Washington will be good to stop-over at the National Capital.

June 14th to 18th, inclusive, are about them.

## CEDAR POINT

Will be the Picnic Grounds of Modern Woodman.

July 19th Chosen as the Date and There Will be a Special Train Over the L. E. & W.

The Modern Woodmen of America will have a grand good time at Cedar Point on the 19th of July, that date having been decided upon for the holding of the big state picnic. W. T. Copeland was at Sandusky Sunday attending a meeting of the state committee, and all arrangements, except a few details, were made for an outing that will surpass any yet given by the order.

The L. E. & W. will run a special train for the accommodation of the Lima lodge and its friends to Sandusky on that day and provision has been made for boats to and from the point at all hours. While the picnic is under the auspices of the Modern Woodmen, it is not limited to members and anyone who wants to spend a pleasant day has the privilege of going.

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## DIVORCES

## Will Be Heard in Court Tomorrow.

Three are Set Down for Hearing During the Day.

Another Action of the Same Kind is Filed With the Clerk by Mrs. Anna D. Ward, Charging Gross Neglect.

The week has been decidedly quiet in and about the court house, owing to the fact that the dismissal of the Michael case disarranged the program for the completion of the term and no other assignments had been made to fill up the gap occasioned by the action of the Prosecutor in throwing the Michael case out of court. Judge Cunningham has set tomorrow for the hearing of several divorce cases that has been pending, and attention will be given to three cases of that character. Even at the rate of three per day it would require the greater part of a full term of court to dispose of the divorce cases which have come under the jurisdiction of the common pleas court since the legislature took the power from the Probate Judge, and there are quite a number still on Judge Miller's docket awaiting disposal. In such cases as have the issues all made up, the Probate court has the right to hear and finally decide them.

## SEEKS A SEPARATION.

Mrs. Anna D. Ward is an applicant for a divorce from John W. Ward, whom she charges as failing to support her since their marriage in this city on the 7th of February, 1893. The allegation is made that Ward had work and received good wages but failed to provide for the family which included his wife and twin babies, a boy and a girl. A specific charge in the petition is that the daughter died and the husband and father not only refused to attend the funeral but declined to pay any of the expense of the burial. J. N. Baily attorney for plaintiff.

## NEW SUITS.

Samuel Jones vs. The Sinclair & Morrison Co. appeal. C. F. Bryan, C. J. Brotherton.

W. H. Wood vs. A. A. Fritz and Mary H. Fritz, for closure. C. J. Brotherton.

Charles C. Cowles vs. E. B. Pistoe James J. Kramer, action for money.

## SUIT ON ACCOUNT.

Suit was brought this afternoon by Charles C. Cowles the west Market street plumber against S. B. Pistoe and James J. Kramer, partners in the contracting business. The action is based on a job of plumbing done by the plaintiff for the defendants, who had under contract the building of a block on south Main street for Washington Carr. The amount for which judgment is asked, is \$371.16.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Frank A. Eaton et al to W. W. Eaton, quit claim to lot 376, Eaton's addition \$200.

Lee Seinsheimer to Simeon Drew, lot 112 in Clifton, \$200.

W. H. McCullough to L. L. Roberts, lot 4266 and 67, McCullough's addition, \$600.

Christian P. Steiner to Christian Bixel 20 acres in Richland township, \$1200.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Foster Sears, aged 23, a farmer, of Wood county and Lizzie Murphy, aged 21, daughter of Dennis Murphy, of Lima.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

List of letters remaining uncalled for in the Lima postoffice for the week ending June 11, 1900:

Chas. R. Ashurst, F. T. Babylon, Chas. Berger, Burt Boies, James Carter, Miss Ollie David, Harry A. Davis, A. F. Davis, Miss Laura Delye, James J. Dillon, Gay Emison, E. C. Graham, Mrs. Estella Guthrie, Frank L. Hadley, Mrs. Geo. Haie, O. O. Harden, C. E. Harper, W. F. Howell, Mrs. Hoag, Charles Huret, H. W. Jacobs, Mrs. Chas. Kuris, Mrs. W. H. McPherson, W. J. Peters, Earl Pugh, Wilber Ricketts, John Rogers, Mrs. Jim Rotley, John H. Semple, Birt L. Slusser, Harry Smith, J. R. W. Smith, Mrs. Stevens, Miss Julia Stoner, Miss Ella Storar, John Thomas, cook, Mrs. Lizzie Van Norman, J. J. Weller, J. A. Wilson, Mrs. R. J. Williams, Miss Eldiva J. Wilt, J. W. Wilt, Sam Wollett.

Persons calling for these letters will please say that they were advertised. GEO. HALL, P. M.

## NOTICE.

Special meeting tonight of the North Lima Oil Co. Business of importance. A. D. Rhodes, President.



## 20% Discount

On all children's suits and knee pants during Michael's Unloading Sale of Clothing. Note these prices:

## Children's Knee Pant Suits.

All \$7.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... \$5.60  
All 6.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... 4.80  
All 5.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... 4.00  
All 4.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... 3.20  
All 3.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... 2.40  
All 2.00 Suits, Unloading Price..... 1.60  
All 1.50 Suits, Unloading Price..... 1.20

## Children's Knee Pants.

All \$1.00 Pants, Unloading Price..... 80 cts  
All 75c Pants, Unloading Price..... 60 cts  
All 50c Pants, Unloading Price..... 40 cts  
All 25c Pants, Unloading Price..... 20 cts  
All 20c Pants, Unloading Price..... 15 cts

...MICHAEL'S.

## Special Sale On All Summer Goods.

This Sale Will Continue All This Week.

THIS SALE HAS PROVED SO SUCCESSFUL THAT WE HAVE DECIDED TO CONTINUE ALL THIS WEEK.

## MONEY GIVEN AWAY.

As an extra inducement to have you do your trading at this store during this sale, we will make this great offer—That every person purchasing goods to the amount of TWO DOLLARS or over, during the week of this sale, will be entitled to make a selection of one envelope from a number of envelopes. Each envelope containing the amount of money they draw, 5c, 10c, 25c up to \$2.00 in cash. No envelopes without money. If anyone should buy just one-dollar and fifty cents worth of goods one day we will give them a chance during the week to buy the rest of the amount fifty cents or over and also have a chance to select one envelope. This is positively a chance to get money for nothing.

TAILOR-MADE SUITS, SEPARATE SKIRTS, SILK WAISTS, SUMMER SHIRT WAISTS, DRESSING SACQUES, WRAPPERS, MUSLIN UNDERWEAR, KNIT UNDERWEAR, HOSIERY, CORSETS, KID GLOVES, HANDKERCHIEFS, FANCY COLLARS, all the NEW BELTS and PULLEY BELTS, PILLOW COVERS, &c.

In MILLINERY we have a very large complete summer stock. For Children we have an endless variety—the nicest that has ever been shown in Lima, and as June is the month of roses, we have the finest selection that can be found, and all the beautiful flowers of all kinds are here.

All the above articles and every thing in the store we will give Special Low Prices, for less money than they can be bought for elsewhere.

MRS. F. LIGHT, 134 NORTH MAIN.

## STRAW FOR SALE!

95 CENTS A LOAD.

For to-morrow and Saturday we place on sale 25 dozen of the famous

## PARIS EXPOSITION STRAW HATS, . .

Imported by Bill and Caldwell, of New York City. These hats are made of plain and rough braided straw, some with stiff and others with soft brims, and each hat represents a \$2.00 value. They are the nobbiest straw hats shown in the city, and the price,

NINETY-FIVE CENTS,

Means a considerable loss to us, but the backward season compels us to push them. SALE OPENS TO-MORROW MORNING.

UNION Clothing and Shoe Co.











## COLD

## Bloody Murder is Committed.

## John Rinkard

## Killed His Wife, Then Shot Himself.

## The Unfortunate Wife Was Dead When She Was Discovered.

## The Husband Put a Bullet Through His Own Head Shooting Out One Eye But Will Probably Live.

Many people in Lima remember John Rinkard, who for many years was a resident of Lima. During the time that he lived here, he was a drayman, a hard-working man, who did hauling for many Lima merchants. Leaving Lima some time ago, he went to Marion, Indiana, where he has since resided. The following article from the Marion Journal, gives an account of a bloody tragedy enacted by him last Saturday morning, as a result of which the wife is dead and the husband worse than dead:

Driven desperate by brooding over his domestic troubles, John Rinkard, a truck peddler, 35 years of age, this morning shot his wife to death and then put a bullet through his own head, inflicting a fatal wound. The tragedy occurred at the home of Lem Peeler, Mrs. Rinkard's brother, at 2114 south Gallatin street.

Rinkard's wife left him two weeks ago, owing, it is alleged, to his cruelty, and since then had been living with her sister. Rinkard had in the meantime neglected his business and had been devoting his time to watching his wife and apparently waiting an opportunity to wreak his vengeance on her. It came this morning, and he took prompt advantage of it.

Rinkard lived at thirty-fifth and Selby streets. He was for many years a drayman but some time ago embarked in the truck peddling business. Rinkard, it is said, is more or less addicted to the use of liquor, and when under the influence frequently abused his wife. She had complained to her relatives on numerous occasions, and frequently threatened to leave Rinkard. On May 30 she went to the home of her sister, Mrs. Peeler and said she could not stand the abuse of her husband any longer.

About ten o'clock this morning Mrs. Lem Peeler went across the street to visit a neighbor leaving Mrs. Rinkard with Mrs. Peeler's son Ray, who is an invalid, and her daughter Belle, aged seven. A short time later Rinkard was seen coming down the street. His wife was in the kitchen ironing clothes, and Rinkard apparently passed around the side of the house and fired at his wife through the window. She fled to the front part of the house, bleeding from a wound in the breast, and was followed by Rinkard. In a bedroom on the south side of the house he caught her and fired again, the shot also taking effect in the left breast.

Rinkard then went into the front room where the invalid boy was crouching in terror, the little girl meanwhile having run for help. The boy says Rinkard looked at him in a way which made him fear for his life, but went back into the rear part of the house without shooting. At this time Delbert Turner, who lives in the next block, and who had heard the shots, came running in and picked up the boy, carrying him to his home at 2212 south Gallatin. Turner returned as quickly as possible, and just as he reached the house heard another shot, which is supposed to have been the one which Rinkard fired into his own head.

Mrs. Turner saw the shots fired and immediately notified the police. Several officers and the ambulance were quickly on the scene. The husband and wife were both found in the same room, the woman dead with two bullets in her left breast and the man unconscious from a wound in the head. Under the man were found two American bull dog revolvers, one of 38 and the other of 32 calibre. The 38 was entirely empty, while two shots had been fired out of the other. Either one of the wounds in the woman's breast is sufficient to cause death. Rinkard shot himself in the temple, the ball coming out just below the right temple. Physicians were hastily summoned, but it was soon that it was impossible to do anything for Rinkard. However he was taken to the hospital and his wound dressed.

He was just barely breathing when moved, and the physicians expressed the opinion that he could live only a short time.

Rinkard has two sons, Sam, who is employed at the Marion brick works and William, who is out of the city. Another son, Edward, aged 26, died four weeks ago. Mrs. Rinkard's mother, Mrs. Sara Peeler of Dunkirk, O., died May 30.

This afternoon it was stated at the hospital that Rinkard had rallied, and Dr. Kimball thought there was a possibility of his ultimate recovery. The ball destroyed his right eye.

## RINKARD IMPROVING.

Expresses no Regret for His Murderous Deed.

The Marion Chronicle, of last Monday contains the following further particulars of the affair:

John Rinkard, who murdered his wife at the home of her brother, Lem Peeler, 2114 south Gallatin street, Saturday morning, regained consciousness at the city hospital, Saturday evening. He has since been conscious and shows signs of improvement. It is stated that the chances for his recovery is very favorable.

When questioned by those attending him he said that he intended to kill his wife and then kill himself. When asked if he was sorry for his action, he said, "Wait until I see." He did not express regret because he failed to kill himself. When told that he might hang if he recovers, he said, "Not in this State." Rinkard only talks when questioned, and seems to take the situation as a matter of course.

The left eye of Rinkard, the sight of which was destroyed by the ball which passed through his head was removed Saturday afternoon. The sight of the other eye was not impaired by the wound.

The postmortem examination of the body of Mrs. Laura Rinkard was conducted at the undertaking establishment of Dicks & Fitzgerald Saturday evening by Dr. J. W. Jackson, coroner. Dr. J. D. McKee and Dr. A. E. Powell. Four shots from a 35 calibre revolver had taken effect. One entered the fleshy part of the palm of the left hand and emerged from the back of the hand between the bones of the thumb and forefinger. The evidence indicates that this was the first shot which was fired at Mrs. Rinkard while she was ironing in the kitchen. Another bullet fired from behind the victim entered below the left shoulder blade and passed through the chest cavity. This bullet was found lodged just beneath the skin under the right arm. A third bullet passed through the chest above and a little to the right of the heart, emerging at the back. The fatal shot, although either of the two foregoing might have produced death, passed through the front walls of the chest and cut the aorta, the large vein leading from the heart. This bullet was found lodged in the chest cavity.

The postmortem accounts for four of the five shots from the 38 calibre revolver, the other shot missed Mrs. Rinkard and struck the pole supporting the portieres between the sitting room and the front room. It dropped at the feet of Ray Peeler, the invalid boy who was in the front room, and was here found after the excitement had subsided. Coroner Whitson also found the bullet which is supposed to have passed through Rinkard's head. It was picked up on the floor of the bedroom and was of 32 calibre and very much battered.

## PIANO RECITAL.

Some of the pupils of Walton E. Clark will be heard in a recital next Monday evening, at the residence of Mr. H. Kibby, 220 south Main street. Miss Edna Burton, soprano, and Miss Vera Watson, violinist, have kindly consented to assist. Friends of the pupils cordially invited. S 2t

## FALSE ALARM

## Sounder While the Storm Was at Its Height.

About 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, while the storm was at its height, a fire alarm was sounded from box 42 at Eureka street and Central avenue. The south side department and the ladder truck crew responded from the central station making the run through the dashing rain to find only some smoke from a pile of rubbish at the rear of a dwelling house. The heavy wind had blown the smoke around a residence in such a manner that the building appeared to be burning.

\$1.25 Toledo and return via C. H. & D. Sunday, June 17. Tickets good on 5:55 a. m., 7:43 a. m. and 11:57 a. m. trains. Good returning on trains leaving Toledo at 7:15 p. m. and 11:55 p. m. same day.

F—1—S—H at Townsend's.

## LIMA

## Will Get the Big Encampment.

## Officers Meet

## And Look Over a Proposed Camp Site.

## All in Favor of Camping in the Best Town in Northwestern Ohio.

## Major Clucker, of Kenton, a Candidate for Lieut. Colonel—Major Deming, of Ada, Will be Re-elected.

It may now be considered reasonably certain that the encampment of the Second Ohio regiment will be held in this city. The line, field and staff officers of the regiment met in this city today and although the question of the location for this year's camp has not been fully settled, there is but little yet to be done to clear the matter up and decide it finally. The officers are unanimously in favor of the encampment being held here for the reason that they consider Lima the best city in northwestern Ohio and are highly pleased with the courteous manner in which they have always been received and entertained while in this city. The enlisted men are not so heartily in favor of the encampment being held here for the reason that they consider camp life an annual outing and would prefer a camp at some more distant locality, but all agree that Lima is a first-rate, up-to-date city and they contemplate having a good time while here.

## OFFICERS' MEETING.

A convention of the officers for the nomination of one candidate for major and one candidate for the commission of lieutenant colonel having been ordered for today the various companies and Col. Ream's staff were well represented when an informal meeting was held in the regimental headquarters at the rear of Col. Ream's cigar store on north Main street at 11 o'clock this morning. Affairs pertaining to the regiment in general were discussed until 12 o'clock when the officers adjourned and repaired to the Oak dining room for dinner.

At 1:30 o'clock this afternoon the Lima Street Railway Co., provided a special car for the officers and took them to the fair grounds which are now under consideration as an available site for the regimental encampment. The grounds were carefully inspected and were pronounced suitable for the camp.

## CLUCKER FOR LIEUT. COL.

Between 2:30 and 3 o'clock this afternoon the officers returned from the fair grounds and again convened at the regimental headquarters for the purpose of making the nominations of candidates for the vacancies in the field officers' ranks. Major Albert Clucker, of Kenton, is a candidate for Lieut. Col. and it is understood has no opposition. Major Clucker is one of the most popular officers in the regiment and is a gentleman worthy of the honor. He has many friends in this city.

For the commission of major, Major Deming, of Ada, is said to be the only candidate. Major Deming resigned his commission upon learning that Attorney General Sheets had decided that neither he or Major Leitner had been legally elected and he will doubtless receive the unanimous support of the regiment for re-election.

Major Leitner, who has refused to resign and whose case will probably be decided in the courts, was conspicuous in the officers' convention only by his absence.

## SHELBY COUNTY HEARD FROM.

John McNeft, one of the popular operators in the Buckeye Pipe Line offices, is wearing a magnanimous smile and is passing around fine Havana cigars among his friends. A handsome son has arrived to bless his home on north McDonel street. Congratulations, Mac.

Finest pickles in Lima at Townsend's.

## ALUMNI

## Of Lima College Banqueted Last Night.

## Commencement Was Held in the Morning

## And the Graduates Performed Their Various Duties in a Manner That Could Not Help But Please.

The day dawned brightly for the commencement exercises to which eleven young hearts have been looking forward at the Lima College and they were cheered by the presence of a large audience of their friends and friends of education from Lima and vicinity as well as a good sprinkling of friends from abroad.

Promptly at nine o'clock the exercises began with a duet from piano and organ by Mr. and Mrs. Adams. Rev. Bossart then invoked the divine blessing upon the exercises of the day. The first oration of the day was on "Personal Worth," by Paul J. Gerberding, of Pittsburg, Pa. His work was carefully prepared, well delivered, and contained much food for thought. He was graduated from the classical course with degree of A. B.

James B. Poling, of Allentown, who has finished the normal course, followed with a very carefully prepared address on "What We Owe to Science." Many of the conquests of science were enumerated and a plea made for its study.

Miss Blanche Fasig, of Cridersville, then gave a reading entitled "Old Ace." She graduates in elocution. Mr. Emmet E. Everett, of West Cairo, followed with an oration on "Energy," full of illustrations of the power of energy in the affairs of the world's activity.

The piano solo by Miss Rhea Watson needs no comment but to say that she was up to her standard in its rendition.

"The Young Man's Duty to the State" was the subject of Mr. Robert L. Harrod's oration. It was a fine address and had the right ring about it. He is a normal graduate. Miss Reichelderfer (elocution), of Cridersville, followed with a well given selection from Dickens, "Dombey and Son."

Miss Carrie Eckhardt spoke on "The Power of the Human Voice." She is a literary graduate as well as in elocution. Both her oration and reading (An Echo of a Battle) were very well given.

"The Mission of the College Graduate," by Miss Blanche Brower was one of the finest orations of the day and was impressively delivered. She presented a path of duty for the college graduate not generally recognized, but full of common sense.

Miss Whyte in elocution, gave a very fine reading entitled "Laddie," after which a trio for piano, organ and violin by Mr. and Mrs. Adams and Miss Vera Watson was given and enthusiastically received.

Mr. Metz gave an oration on "Inspiration from the Imperfect," and suggested many thoughts not generally recognized. He graduates from the normal course.

Miss Alpha Frainfelter gave the last oration of the day. Her subject was Carlyle's words: "Know Thy Work and Do It Well," and she certainly handled it well. Especially noteworthy was her position of the sacredness of a calling and the importance of doing the work chosen.

Altogether this was one of the most successful commencements ever held at the college.

## LIMA BOY

## Making a "Hit" at Van Wert by His Enterprise.

A Lima man who was in Van Wert a few days ago stopped at the most prominent restaurant he could find and was surprised to see Roy Crabb, a former Lima boy in charge of the place. Since leaving this city Roy has been in a number of towns and cities and finally opened a first class restaurant where his enterprise and business ability are winning for him the confidence and patronage of Van Wert's best citizens.

## TOWNSEND'S COOKED MEATS.

Boiled ham, veal loaf, corned beef and dried beef at Townsend's.

Try Townsend's for fine groceries.

## MARKET STORE BAR-GAINS.



For Friday at 9 a. m. until sold:

Lot No. 1—200 this year's Shirt Waists in all colors, worth 98 cents and \$1.25. Your choice 73 cents.

Lot No. 2—78 this season's Shirt Waists in all colors, worth 89 and 98 cents. Choice 59 cents.

Lot No. 3—125 this season's Shirt Waists, worth 49 to 75 cents. Choice 39 cents.

RACKET STORE,

141 north Main street.

## WATER WORKS NOTICE.

All property holders, please take notice that their property will be held for all water used by tenants, as they frequently move without consulting the owner or water works office which makes it impossible to keep the accounts in a satisfactory manner. By order of trustees.

205 12th A. J. Morris, Sec'y.

## VITALIZED AIR

For the painless filling and extraction of teeth, Dr. Sullivan and his skillful staff of assistants are in constant attendance. Decayed and broken-down teeth restored to usefulness and beauty by our perfect CROWNING SYSTEM. BRIDGE WORK, TEETH WITHOUT PLATES. PINE GOLD ALLOY and CEMENT FILLINGS, and ARTIFICIAL TEETH which are the same of perfection.

We have the

FINEST EQUIPPED OFFICE

in Lima. Pontal Spoons, electric fans and everything for the comfort of our patients.

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Bell Phone 431. THE ALBANY DENTIST.

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Office Hours—8 to 12, 1 to 4; Sunday 9 to 12.

## G. E. BLUEM, 57 PUBLIC SQUARE.

## Wash Waists For You.

The Demand for these light, cool, sensible garments strengthens each day as the mercury climbs. Stocked to fill your every want in this connection. Prices very pleasing.

A Shirt Waist in newest pastel colors—which colors tend to make the style of this season's waist as much as any manner of design; has plain French back, full front, laundried cuffs, price	50 cts
Fine White Lawn, with all over lace effect front; French back with four tucks; dress sleeve. A special number and effective waist, for	\$1.25
A special number in White Dimity Waists, sizes 32, 36, 40 only for	\$1.00

## More About Hosiery.

Summer hosiery selling is active. We shall add to activity by such offerings as these:

Men's Seamless Half Hose, fast colors in tan and black, 2-pair for 25 cents.  
Ladies' Fine Lisle Drop Stitch, great values for 25 cents per pair.  
Children's Lace Lisle Fast Black, in all colors.  
Ladies' Fancy Hose, a big variety to select from for 25 cents.

## Summer Underwear.

Too much emphasis cannot be given this feature of our summer business. Just the underwear you want here, at just the prices you want to pay.

Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests, cream taped neck, for 10 cents.  
Ladies' Fancy Ribbed Vests, white taped neck, for 12 cents.  
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Shaped Vests, taped neck, for 25 cents.  
Ladies' Fine Ribbed Shaped Vests, long sleeve for 25 cents.  
Men's Fine Balbriggan Underwear, for 25 and 50 cents.

## G. E. BLUEM, 57 Public Square. The Dry Goods, Dress Goods and Suit House.